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**To:** Todd J. Stedeford, Ph.D., DABT®, ERT, ATS [TStedeford@lawbc.com]  
**Subject:** RE: Can you tell me

Thank you. We have lost such a resource and font of wisdom with your departure.

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**From:** Todd J. Stedeford, Ph.D., DABT®, ERT, ATS <TStedeford@lawbc.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 18, 2021 12:48 PM  
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**Subject:** RE: Can you tell me

Hi Annie,

All is good here, thanks. PMN folks use the analogue identification methodology (AIM). The public version is available at: <https://www.epa.gov/tsc-screening-tools/analog-identification-methodology-aim-tool> I don't think this is being updated anymore. There is also an internal version that contains CBI that the PMN folks use, which contains a lot more data. If you want access to the CBI version of AIM, just ask Gino Scarano about it. I am not sure if it needs to be added to your VDI access or not. As for a threshold, there are two search criteria, called pass 1 (more stringent) and pass 2 (less stringent). Pass 1 selects analogues when all of the fragments, atoms, etc., are present, but neither option provides a percent similarity or anything like that. Also, I think some of the PMN folks probably use the analogue search functionalities in OECD Toolbox, ChemID, and/or PubChem, but I am not sure.

Todd

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**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Can you tell me

Hi Todd

Hope you are still happy as a clam in your new workplace. I am relieved or perhaps blissfully unaware of any future developments...

Can you tell me the name of the software for read across that PMN program uses? Is there a threshold for determining sufficiently similar?

I am gradually digging out from my backlog and will be pressing to do the corrective MPPD simulations soon on PSLT and GS.

Annie